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## BEGIN

### Their Season at Barberton.

### South Ends Have Named a Date.

### Planets Will Take Rooters Along.

### Simms Begins Training For the Lavigne Fight.

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

**YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.**  
 Baltimore 8, Cleveland 5.  
 Washington 3, Detroit 2.  
 Athletics 6, Milwaukee 4.  
 Boston 5, Chicago 2.

#### THE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Pt. Cl.
Chicago	22	51	617
St. Louis	21	52	615
Pittsburgh	20	53	613
Philadelphia	19	54	611
Cleveland	18	55	609
Washington	17	56	607
Baltimore	16	57	605
Detroit	15	58	603
Atlanta	14	59	601
San Francisco	13	60	599
New York	12	61	597
Los Angeles	11	62	595
San Diego	10	63	593
Portland	9	64	591
Seattle	8	65	589
San Jose	7	66	587
Albany	6	67	585
Albuquerque	5	68	583
Butte	4	69	581
Casper	3	70	579
Colorado Springs	2	71	577
Denver	1	72	575
El Paso	0	73	573
Fort Worth	0	74	571
Galveston	0	75	569
Houston	0	76	567
Kansas City	0	77	565
Little Rock	0	78	563
Memphis	0	79	561
Mobile	0	80	559
New Orleans	0	81	557
Omaha	0	82	555
Philadelphia	0	83	553
Pittsburgh	0	84	551
Portland	0	85	549
San Francisco	0	86	547
Seattle	0	87	545
San Jose	0	88	543
San Diego	0	89	541
San Francisco	0	90	539
Seattle	0	91	537
San Jose	0	92	535
San Diego	0	93	533
San Francisco	0	94	531
Seattle	0	95	529
San Jose	0	96	527
San Diego	0	97	525
San Francisco	0	98	523
Seattle	0	99	521
San Jose	0	100	519

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE

**YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.**  
 Pittsburgh 10, New York 5.  
 Philadelphia 4, Chicago 3.  
 Brooklyn 9, Cincinnati 2.  
 St. Louis 2, Boston 1.

#### THE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Pt. Cl.
Pittsburgh	24	45	661
Philadelphia	23	46	659
Brooklyn	22	47	657
St. Louis	21	48	655
Boston	20	49	653
Chicago	19	50	651
Cincinnati	18	51	649
New York	17	52	647
San Francisco	16	53	645
Seattle	15	54	643
San Jose	14	55	641
San Diego	13	56	639
San Francisco	12	57	637
Seattle	11	58	635
San Jose	10	59	633
San Diego	9	60	631
San Francisco	8	61	629
Seattle	7	62	627
San Jose	6	63	625
San Diego	5	64	623
San Francisco	4	65	621
Seattle	3	66	619
San Jose	2	67	617
San Diego	1	68	615
San Francisco	0	69	613
Seattle	0	70	611
San Jose	0	71	609
San Diego	0	72	607
San Francisco	0	73	605
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San Francisco	0	85	581
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San Jose	0	87	577
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San Jose	0	91	569
San Diego	0	92	567
San Francisco	0	93	565
Seattle	0	94	563
San Jose	0	95	561
San Diego	0	96	559
San Francisco	0	97	557
Seattle	0	98	555
San Jose	0	99	553
San Diego	0	100	551

The South End athletic club will play the first game of the season against the Barberton football team, at Barberton, Saturday, Oct. 12. The team has been carefully selected and is regarded by its rooters as a sure winner. John Wiese was made manager of the team at the meeting of the club Tuesday night and will do his best to get matches with good teams for the South Ends. The Barberton team will give the Akron team a tussle that they will not soon forget.

#### PLANETS TO BARBERTON.

A very creditable crowd of rooters has announced that it will go to Barberton next Saturday and cheer the football team of the Planet athletic club to victory in the game which that team will play against Barberton at that place. The contest has been advertised and as both teams are full of the superstition that the first game must be a winner to start the season right, there is no reason why there should not be some excellent sport when the Planets and the Barbs meet. The Planets have some exceedingly big youngsters on the team and it is probable that they will give the policemen and other heavyweights of the Barberton team a hustle for their money.

#### INSIDE THE MONEY.

The Akron racers continue to be inside the money quite frequently at the various race meets of the state. Brooklawn took second in the 2:19 trot at Berea Wednesday, and Grace

Elyria got third in the 2:24 trot at Youngstown. It will soon be time for the racers to turn their noses homeward and get into the races of the Akron fair.

#### FOOTBALL VS. PUGILISM.

Nearly every day there is recorded an accident or the death of a football player and the enemies of the football game take it that the sport is as dangerous as fighting, and that more deaths result from football each season than result from the fighting game in years.

There has been a well defined tendency among the members of the athletic clubs of the state to protest against the discrimination that is made against pugilism, but as the athletes who are boxers are in a good many cases football players also, they are content to let bad enough alone and will do nothing to start a crusade that may not only settle boxing in the state, but may take away the privilege of playing football as well.

#### BAD FOR KID BROAD.

Kid Broad is said to be in very bad condition and his friends are afraid that if he does not improve wonderfully in a short time he will get the short end of the purse when he faces Dave Sullivan, before the Southern athletic club on Sept. 30.

#### SULLIVAN QUILTS.

Spike Sullivan has declared that he will quit the ring. He says that he has had enough of the game and will go into something less strenuous. In his recent fight with Jimmy Handler, Sullivan's arm was badly injured and the fighter says he does not believe that it will ever recover its former strength.

#### SIMMS AFTER TERRY.

Joe Macias, the manager of Art Simms is ready and anxious as ever to match his man with Terry McGovern. Terry has a date open for Thanksgiving and Simms' manager is trying to close with Sam Harris for a fight on that date. He says that Simms can make 128 pounds at 3 p.m. and has a reputation that entitles him to a match with the champion.

Art, also, is anxious to meet Terry, and is willing to go to almost any length to secure a fight. He says that no conditions will be too hard and that the division of the money will cut very little figure if he is permitted to face the champion and show what he can do.

#### WALCOTT-GARDNER GO.

The Gardner-Walcott go, which takes place at Frisco Friday night is attracting a great crowd of interested followers of the fighting game. The fact that Walcott gives his opponent nearly 20 pounds of weight does not seem to detract from the interest in the fight and the only result of the discrepancy is seen in the betting, which runs at odds of 10 to 8 in favor of Gardner.

#### SIMMS MATCHED.

Art Simms was notified Wednesday afternoon that he has been matched to fight Kid Lavigne, the ex-lightweight champion. The fight will be at Fort Erie, October 12.

#### SIMMS' MATCH.

Art Simms is pleased because of the chance he will now have of fighting a man of the style and the reputation of Kid Lavigne. The Kid has a name as a fighter that is second to none in the business. Simms will begin training today at the South End club and will work, if possible, with Mike Cassidy, who trained him when he prepared for some of his other good fights.

Simms believes that he can defeat his man and says that rushing fighters, such as Lavigne represents, are the kind that he likes to meet. The fact remains that Lavigne is a very good man and if Art defeats him he will know that he has been in a fight.

It is conceded by all of Art's friends that when he placed himself under the management of Joe Macias he did the best thing that he has done in his fighting career.

#### GOVERNOR NASH AWAKE.

Governor Nash has announced that he will try any attempts to have prize fights in the state early and completely. Owing to the fact that there has been no great effort in the state to pull off fights there has been an effort lately in Columbus to quietly form a club and pull off contests. Governor Nash soon heard of the project,

however, and lost no time in announcing that he would act immediately and stop any fights that might be attempted.

#### WARREN'S TEAM.

Warren will have a football team to represent that town this fall and the organization is already complete. W. C. Clancy, ex-full back for Oberlin, will be coach and captain and the team promises to be a hummer.

#### THE YACHT RACE.

Today is the day which the followers of yachting have been looking forward for a long time. Shamrock II, and Columbia, if nothing breaks, will begin to demonstrate which is the better of the two and the admirers of both are confident that their favorite will win. The fact that the time allowance of Columbia has been cut down has placed what looked like certain victory, to many minds, in doubt.

The wild reports of big bets that were heard some time ago were mostly untrue, but the moneyed men who have watched the performances of both boats realize that the result is very doubtful and that there is nothing more than the mere chance of picking the winner, at this time.

Each boat has many backers and all await the result of the first race to day with feverish anxiety.

## CLERKS.

### They Are Reaching Out.

### Will Join State Organization Friday Night.

Mr. George Niess, of the Akron Clerks' union stated to a Democrat reporter Thursday that the Union had induced the merchants of South Akron to close their stores at 7 o'clock on evenings through the week. This is a departure from the methods of the stores in that part of the city heretofore, as the merchants formerly depended on the evening trade.

The Akron clerks will enter the State organization at the meeting Friday night. The state union is for the purpose of furthering the interests of the local unions and has in connection with it an employment bureau by which clerks may find employment at other places when one situation runs out.

TRY THE DEMOCRAT'S LINER COLUMNS.

## TRIBUTE TO McKINLEY BY CONFEDERATE GENERAL.

### John B. Gordon Says He Was Great In Life and Great In Death.

No sincerer tribute has been paid to the memory of President McKinley than that of Gen. John B. Gordon, commander in chief of the Confederate veterans, and who has several times lectured to Akron audiences. A few days ago a Southern friend of Postmaster L. S. Elbright sent him a marked copy of the Atlanta Constitution. The article marked was Gen. Gordon's speech. It follows:

"My Fellow Countrymen: I cannot doubt that a vast majority of this great audience believes in God and in His special guardianship of this free republic.

"God moves in a mysterious way His wonders to perform."

"These inspired and immortal words were penned long ago by England's heavenly minded poet. Their truth has been exemplified in our day by America's martyred President. McKinley, with the icy grip of the king of terrors already upon him, looked calmly and bravely into his grim visage and declared: 'It is God's will. His will, not ours, be done,' and then, as he caught a glimpse of the glories beyond, he breathed out the prayer, 'Nearer, My God, To Thee.' Great, therefore, as was this eminent American, in life, he was far greater in the hour of his death.

"It was my privilege to know William McKinley well for a quarter of a century. I knew him as a member of Congress, as Governor of a great state, and finally, as the President of this great republic. Through all these eventful years my personal relations to him were most cordial. In official conferences and in the freedom and abandon of private intercourse, I learned to admire and to love him; and

## THE AKRON NIGHT SCHOOL-- ITS AIMS AND WORKINGS.

### The Inducements It Offers For Improvement and Education.

All young men and women in the city of Akron whose opportunities for receiving an education in early life were limited, should not fail to remember the night school, and to prepare to attend it.

The school will open Monday night, Oct. 7 at 7 o'clock, in the High school building. This school will give instruction in the common English branches. It will enable industrious young men and women, no matter what their opportunities may have been in the past, to get a good working knowledge of these branches of study. By diligent, regular study in the night school, after the work of the day is done, any person of average intelligence can learn enough to fit him to attend the affairs of an ordinary business life. Certainly, this opportunity is one that ought not to be passed by heedlessly.

The night school is absolutely free. Instructions and books are furnished without cost. The Board of Education has made all provisions necessary for a successful winter's work. The only restraints and rules imposed upon the students are those which seem necessary to make it possible for persons who are really in earnest to accomplish definite and valuable results. The following are the requirements the Board imposes upon the students:

## Postoffice Minstrels Will Raise the Monument Fund.

Prominent Akron men are talking seriously of starting a fund to erect a McKinley monument in this city. Postmaster L. S. Elbright stated to a reporter for the Democrat that he would do his share toward providing such a fund by having the postoffice

minstrel's give another show at the Grand Opera House. It is estimated that \$10,000 would pay for a suitable monument, and it has been suggested that Cotter's park, corner East Buchtel ave. and Market st., would be an excellent location.

## KENT'S MAYOR

### Boomed For the Democratic Congressional Nomination.

Kent, O., Sept. 26.—The Democratic politicians in the town and county are considering the question of presenting Daniel L. Rockwell, of Kent, as a candidate for Congress in the Nineteenth district at the next Congressional convention. He is the present Mayor of this place, and gained considerable prominence at the time of his election as being the youngest Mayor in the United States. He was also a delegate from this district at the last Democratic National convention, and was the youngest delegate in attendance. Moreover, he has taken active part in politics for some time. He is a son of David L. Rockwell, who for many years was a leading Democratic politician of this section. His name will no doubt be announced at the proper time, and should he become a candidate he will go into the convention backed, at least, by the solid delegation of Portage county.

## CHILD WAILED FOR A DRINK.

### Seidell Got Up to Get It and Discovered a Burglar.

Many and many a time fathers have complained bitterly of life when awakened in the middle of the night to get up and get a drink for one of the children. But this act Thursday morning, shortly after 1 o'clock, saved Councilman John W. Seidell, of 1271 E. Market st., two valuable watches, and possibly more. A burglar had entered the house, and had already got his hands on two watches, when Mr. Seidell was awakened to get the aforementioned drink. He lighted the house, and the burglar was frightened away. He was heard leaving, and an investigation followed. It was discovered that he had taken two watches from the dining room into the parlor and left them on the floor, while he ransacked for other valuables. He was too badly frightened to think of taking the watches with him.

Wednesday evening a mysterious-looking man, wearing a brown coat and soft hat was seen in the neighborhood of Mr. Seidell's home, and it is believed he was the would-be burglar.

#### Notice.

Any person having bottles of Geo. J. Renner will please call up phone No. 30, or send a postal notifying us and a private, plain covered wagon will call immediately. The Geo. J. Renner Brewing Co.

## JOY AND SORROW.

### A Wedding and a Death Reported From Western Star.

(Special Correspondence.)  
 Western Star, Sept. 24.—A quiet wedding took place here last Thursday night. Mr. Chas. Risor and Miss Eva Himmerlight, of this place, were married by Rev. Etter. They were serenaded at the home of the bride's parents.

Mr. F. Browning, of Mansfield, called on old friends at the Star, Friday.  
 Mr. James Irving was a guest of Dr. Babbitt and family a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Bantam, of Warsaw, were guests of Miss Miranda DeBerry.

Mrs. Thomas Waterfield died at the family residence, south of the Star, Sunday and the funeral took place at the M. E. Church at Wadsworth, Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Oris Waltz, of Doylestown, and Mrs. Rosy Eaton of Elton, Mo., called at the home of Levi Shaffer, Monday.

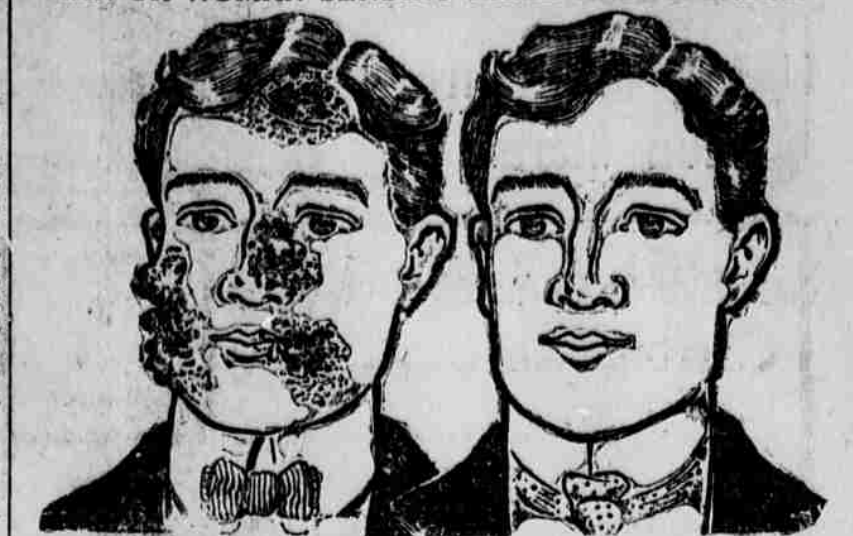
Miss Nora Fleming, of Doylestown, has been the guest of Mrs. McDer-



Who christened the new torpedo boat Nicholson at Crescent shipyards, Elizabethport, N. J., this week.

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A celebrated Fort Wayne physician has discovered the most wonderful cure for Syphilis or Blood Poison ever known. It quickly cures all such indications as mucous patches in the mouth, sore throat, copper colored spots, chancres, ulcerations on the body and in hundreds of cases where the hair and eyebrows had fallen out and the whole skin was a mass of boils, pimples and ulcers, this wonderful specific has completely changed the whole body into a clean, perfect condition of physical health.

William McGrath, 48 Guilford st., Buffalo, N. Y., says: "I am a well man today where a year ago I was a total wreck. Several doctors had failed to cure me of syphilis. I was rid of my sores and my skin became smooth and natural in two weeks, and after completing the treatment there was not a sore or pimple on my body, and today I am absolutely well. I give you permission to use my name and I will answer all inquiries from suffering men."

Every railroad running into Ft. Wayne brings scores of sufferers seeking this new and marvelous cure and to enable those who cannot travel to realize what a truly marvelous work the doctor is accomplishing they will send free to every sufferer a free trial package of the remedy so that every one can cure themselves in the privacy of their own home. This is the only known treatment that cures this most terrible of all diseases. Address the State Medical Institute, 2588 Election building, Ft. Wayne, Ind. Do not hesitate to write at once and the free trial package will be sent sealed in plain package.

lo Thursday to see the sights. They will be gone several days.

Rev. Kale and Mr. David Smith of Clinton, spent Sunday at Fred Swain's.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Baughman and family and Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Baughman, of Wadsworth, visited at W. B. Baughman's on Sunday.

Mrs. Perry Ware of Krumroy, visited her husband's folks last week.

Mr. Jeremiah Harter is building an addition to his residence.

Mr. Wm. Beall, of Doylestown, suffered a stroke of paralysis last Saturday. His condition is critical.

THE DEMOCRAT PRINTS THE NEWS.

## BURGLARS AT CLINTON.

Manage to Get Away With \$60 Cash.

(Special Correspondence.)  
 Clinton, Sept. 24.—Burglars broke into Frase & Spangler's store Monday evening. They entered the front door of the ware room and then bore a hole in the door leading to the store room, and got between \$50 and \$60 in money.

Howard Spangler who has been ill with typhoid fever, the last two weeks, is slowly recovering.

J. A. Weil, conductor on the C. & C., fell from a box car and sprained his ankle and broke one rib. Besides he was bruised considerably. He is getting along nicely.

Geo. Ludwick and wife, of Michigan, are visiting friends here.

Silas Williams and mother visited in Akron Sunday.

Elizabeth Whitmyer and daughter attended the funeral of Michael Whitmyer at Orrville Saturday.

S. P. Keifer, from Washington, Ia., is visiting friends in and about our village. He reports the corn crop pretty fair, from 30 to 60 bushels per acre.

Mrs. C. M. Church and children of Canton, visited H. A. Housman over Sunday.

Lewis Hoover from Geauga county is visiting his parents on the west side.

## HAPPENINGS AT MUNROE FALLS.

(Special Correspondence.)  
 Munroe Falls, Sept. 24.—The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Strom died Monday morning at eight o'clock.

A number of people from here attended the funeral of President McKinley.

The farmers are very busy sowing wheat. The ground is in good shape. A good deal of corn is being cut, although not quite ripe. Some of the farmers are afraid of frost.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Donaldson, Mrs. Julia Hewitt and Mrs. Gruber, are at the Pen-American Exposition this week.